NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO Docket No. 6900/SYNX/SYNX THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES (Large Entity) In Re Application Of: Michael R. Rice et al. Confirmation No. Group Art Unit Customer No. Examiner Filing Date Application No. 6977 41161 3651 Ridley, Richard 8/28/2003 10/650,310 Invention: SYSTEM FOR TRANSPORTING SUBSTRATE CARRIERS COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS: Applicant(s) hereby appeal(s) to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Primary September 14, 2005 finally rejecting Claim(s) 1-6, 10-19, 26-32, 34 Examiner dated The fee for this Notice of Appeal is: \$500.00 A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed. ☐ The Director has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account. The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 04-1696. Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached. WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038. BRIAN M. DUGIAN Dated: January 17, 2006 Reg. No. Signature Certificate of Mailing/Transmission (37 C.F.R. Section 1.8(a)) I hereby certify that, on the date shown below, this correspondence is being: transmitted by facsimile to the U.S. this correspondence is being hereby certify that PALAITI and Trademark Office deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope January 17, <u>2006</u> addressed to the "Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 145011416441665, NVANS231384689939 66409(8(a))1845831 Date Signature Brian M. Dugan 500.00 DA 02 FC HARL (name of person certifying) Signature of Person Mailing Correspondence CC: Typed or Printed Name of Person Mailing Correspondence